

HOUSE No. 1330

By Mr. Miceli of Wilmington, petition of James R. Miceli relative to exempting private residential wells from state jurisdiction. Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT REGARDING PRIVATE RESIDENTIAL WELLS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 Notwithstanding any specific or general law to the contrary, the
- 2 Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection or any
- 3 other state agency or commission shall not have any jurisdiction
- 4 in monitoring or restricting the use of a private well constructed
- 5 for individual residential purposes. Commercial properties shall
- 6 be required to comply with the Department of Environmental Pro-
- 7 tection's guidelines and policies.